

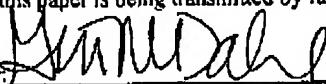
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Serial No.:	10/091126	Group Art Unit:	3641
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.191, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 17, 21, and 27 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed August 15, 2006.

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